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In re Application of :
George A. Neuman, et al. :
Application No. 09/057,677 : **DECISION ON PETITION**
Filed: April 9, 1998 :
Attorney Docket No. 1048D2 :

This is a decision on the petition under the unintentional provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed January 7, 2011, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

This application became abandoned for failure to timely pay the issue fee on or before April 8, 2010, as required by the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due, mailed January 8, 2010. Accordingly, the date of abandonment of this application is April 9, 2010.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) the reply in the form of payment of the issue fee of \$1,510, (2) the petition fee of \$1,620; and (3) a proper statement of unintentional delay.

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This application is being referred to the Office of Management for processing into a patent.

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